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For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR OPTICAL DATA  
TRANSMISSION AT HIGH DATA RATES WITH ENHANCED  
CAPACITY USING POLARIZATION MULTIPLEXING**

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 8 sheets of drawings.
- ☒ A signed Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement along with an accompanying PTO-1449 form.
- ☒ An Assignment to Teradvance Communications, LLC, along with Recordation Sheet.
- ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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